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LETTER REGARDING FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION
REQUEST FOR U S NAVY TO PROVIDE RATIONALE ON SAMPLING RECOMMENDATIONS
AT BATTERY DISPOSAL SITE NAS WHITING FIELD FL
2/21/1985
FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION

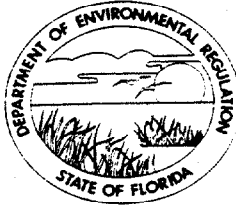
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February 21, 1985

Received 2/27/85

Cdr Hesse Pw 868-7260

CERTIFIED RETURN
RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. D. R. Spell
Commanding Officer
U. S. Navy Southern Division
P. O. Box 10068
Charleston, South Carolina 29411-0068

Dear Mr. Spell:

2/27
Advised Mr. Hoffman that
the check is in the mail, per
letter with Locklear. He advised
that he had been called by
Cdr Hesse and was told the same.

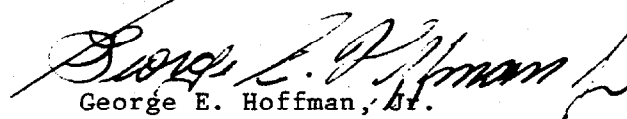
By letter dated December 21, 1984, the Department forwarded a draft Consent Order to the Navy to resolve the issues surrounding the unauthorized disposal of aircraft batteries at Whiting Field, NAS.

Subsequent discussions with representatives of Geraghty and Miller on January 18, 1985 indicate that the Navy feels that the monitoring parameters required in paragraphs 7 and 15 may be excessive in view of the actual types of chemicals utilized in Building #1478. Mr. Goddard of this office advised that they submit a proposal for review by the Department which identifies with rationale the parameters they recommend to be sampled. To date, we have not received this documentation nor has the signed Consent Order been returned to the Department.

It is requested that you review this matter and contact the Department with five (5) days of receipt of this letter as to your intended actions.

Your continued cooperation in resolving these issues is greatly appreciated. In the event you should have any questions, please feel free to contact Mr. Charles Goddard of this office at (904) 436-8320.

Sincerely,


George E. Hoffman, Jr.
District Enforcement Officer

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cc: Ralph Moon
Sonny Chesnut